

## LIVINGSTON

JUDGE H. WITT, who has been very sick for some time is slowly improving. — Our old friend, James Maret, was here a few days ago on his way to Winchester. The old Boone Way booster looks fine since he has got ten over his spell of sickness which kept him confined to his room so long. Now he has a position in the good road department, as he so richly deserves, for he has been a good road advocate from start to finish, and we are certainly glad to see him come to the front, so when the pike is finished through Rockcastle county, three cheers should be given James Maret. — Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Welch and children, and Dr. W. T. Amyx, will leave for Cincinnati, Ohio, to spend a few days. — Mrs. N. B. Long, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting Mrs. C. H. Rice and Mrs. C. E. Rice, of this place. — Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Griffin, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Pennington, in London, Ky., and Sunday they motored over to Corbin and spent the day in that splendid town and report a fine time. — Mrs. J. L. Pickett and children, Misses Loretta and Margaret, are visiting relatives in Paris this week. — Miss Ethel Hayse is visiting relatives in Kansas, this week. — Mrs. G. V. Caloway and daughter are visiting her parents in Berea this week. — Miss Jalett Griffin left Sunday for a two week's visit with her sister, Miss Cora Griffin, at Big Stone Gap, Va., where she has a position. — Mrs. G. W. Thacker, of Berea, has been visiting her son, W. C. Thacker, at this place. — Roscoe Gregory has a position as fireman in Covington, and we are pleased to know that he is making good. — Will Odell has moved into the property of Mrs. Sue Mullins over her store room. — Dan Ponder has sold a team of mules and wagon, and a tract of coal land to Peter Mink, price paid \$600. We understand Mr. Ponder will go to Mt. Vernon. — Miss Edith Mahaffey is visiting her aunt in Lexington. — Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Pennington and children are visiting relatives in Indiana. — Mrs. Henry Bowman, of Mt. Vernon, was here between trains, en route home from Berea, where she had been visiting relatives. — Mrs. J. W. Mullins, and son, John Thomas, are visiting relatives in Mt. Vernon. — G. S. Griffin, and little son, Burgess, spent Sunday in the Buckeye section. — C. J. Rice has returned from a short visit in Cincinnati. — Misses Ella Mae and Marie Blanford are visiting relatives at Parksville. — John Fields, the bustling Stanford salesman, was with our merchants Tuesday. — Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Browning, after a pleasant visit with relatives in the west, has returned. — Miss Marie Rambo, after a month's visit with relatives at Stanford and Maywood, has returned home. — A Mr. Garnett has installed a butcher shop in our town and is ready to serve the public, but we hardly think steak has been so high since the cow jumped over the moon. — We understand that the grade for the pike is being pushed with all speed and they are doing splendid. We told you all that business would pick up. Don't we wish the pike was completed, so we could take a near shot to the Big Mt. Vernon Fair. Mrs. T. C. Welch, who has been quite sick for some time, is slowly improving. — Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Hayse, and son, Arney, who have been in our town for a few days, returned home to Cincinnati. — I. T. Stewart, of Cincinnati, is spending a few days with relatives here this week. — Miss Lena Clark after a few days visit with relatives in Winchester, has returned home. — Born to the wife of L. M. Oliver, a fine boy on the 25th. — Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hellard were called to Mt. Vernon a few days ago on account of the illness of Mr. Hellard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hellard. Later we learned that Mr. and Mrs. Hellard are much improved. — Ben Hellard was in Mt. Vernon latter part of last week. — Mrs. B. H. Griffin is very sick at this writing. — Well, the bottle that we were going to have with Mexico has all blown

over and we certainly are tickled about it, for fighting is bad on old clothes, and "fellow citizens" (we believe that is the term that the politician uses), isn't Wilson a great man? The rest of the world in a bloody war, killing thousands every day, and here we are in the United States, enjoying peace and prosperity, and we don't see any reason why we should not be the happiest and most contented people on earth. — It will only be a few more days until the big fair at Mt. Vernon, August 9 to 11, will be pulled off, and from reading the fair catalog, and what we can gather, it promises to be the best fair yet, and we believe every body that can should attend their county fair, for it gives us a chance to meet old friends and acquaintances, perhaps that we have not seen for years, and it is a regular home coming. We think Livingston will be well represented there the three days of the fair. — Squire Arnold left Livingston to day for the Madison and Rockcastle county line. — Madison county has made a proposition that they would meet Rockcastle county at the line Thursday, with forty or fifty men to do a day's work on the road, if Rockcastle would do likewise. Hence Squire Arnold went to meet them. People are getting in earnest about this road business and the county officials are taking the lead. Something is sure doing in this line. — Mr. and Mrs. Cottongim were in Berea a few days this week to see Mr. Cottongim's brother. — Judge Mablon Summers was in Bond, Ky., Wednesday, on business. — T. J. Pennington was here Sunday. We can't say he was here on business, for it was Sunday. The truth of the matter, we believe his mind reverts back to the days spent in our city. — When Mt. Vernon gets water works, as they already have electric lights, and we all get the pikes, and Livingston gets street cars, won't we be going some. — Clifford Catlin, of Lebanon, Ky., is visiting his brother, I. W. Catlin, at this place.

## CLUB CONVENTION.

On Thursday July, 13th members of the Pig, Poultry, Canning and Corn Clubs of Rockcastle and some other adjoining Co's of Madison Co. arrived at Berea, Madison Co. to attend the United Club Convention of the various counties. The members were accompanied with a large number of visitors. After arriving at Berea, the members and visitors assembled at 1:30 P. M. at the Band Stand on the campus for announcement of the program for the two following days. After Mr. Spence, the county agent, had finished the announcements they visited, the wood works; machine shop and Printing office. At 4 o'clock every one met at Vocational Chapel to hear Prof. Hudson and Mr. Taylor give their welcome address.

On Friday morning one hundred and two people visited the College Hospital; At nine o'clock every one returned to the Band stand to listen to the following program.

FRIDAY JULY 14,  
9:00 Welcome President Frost.  
9:30 Responsee Miss Laura Spence.  
9:45 Report of Clubs, By selected members.  
10:15 Corn Club work, Mr. B. G. Nelson, State Agent.  
10:45 Pig Club Work, Mr. Otis Kercher, State Agent.  
11:15 Poultry Club Work, Mr. Arthur Chapin, State Agent.  
11:45 Girls Clubs, Miss Aubyn Chinn District Agent.  
12:20 Dinner at College Dining Hall.  
1:00 Automobile trip—Via Berea State Experiment Field, Big Hall, Bobtown, Kingston, Richmond, Paint Lick, and back to Berea, making a few stops.  
6:15 Supper at College Dining Hall.  
FRIDAY NIGHT JULY 14,  
Moving picture show at College Chapel.  
SAT. MORNING, JULY 15,  
6:00 Breakfast at College Dining Hall.  
6:30 Boys visit College Farm,

Girls visit Domestic Department.

8:30. Boys visit J. R. Baker's Farm.

10:30 Boys and girls visit College Garden together.

11:45 Dinner at College Dining Hall.

The program was carried out to a letter with one exception. Two of the speakers were unable to be present and their places were filled with competent speakers. Mr. Spence only regretted that there were not enough cars to carry all the Club members and visitors; although there were nineteen cars which were lined up Main street and took most of the Club Folks. Rockcastle Representatives were first; Jackson second and Madison last. Those who were left were entertained on the campus by some of the instructors of the Club. The auto trip was a successful and profitable one.

On Saturday an early dinner was served in order that the Club Folks could reach the station in time for the train. At the end of the meal every place represented expressed their appreciation and thanks for the free lodging given them by the college and the healthy cooperation

of the town for having lent a helping hand in making their visit profitable and pleasant.

In one of Mr. Spence's talks he spoke very highly of Rockcastle being one of the leading counties along different lines, especially agriculture. Not extensive but intensive. He spoke of the fact that Rockcastle had more representatives present than any other county; which showed an interest. The following are their names.

Lester Chasteene, John Childers, Herbert Banks, William Ballinger, E. J. Chasteen, J. M. Chasteen, Luena Ballinger, George E. Childers, Minnie Ballinger, Lizzie McGuire, Willie Hiatt, of Johnetta, Dewy Dotson, Raymond Parsons, Jonis Coffey, Gibson Stewart, Hugh Coffey, Alva Coffey, Bernice Phillips, Tea French, Allie W. Jones, Nannie B. Jones, Vesta Coffey, Reulah M. Lewis, of Wildie; Chas. Wilson, Thomas Owen, George Powell, David Callahan, Stacy S. Caudill, Evalena Caudill, Emma M. Wynn, Fannie Wilson, Rose Dalton, Hazel D. Berry, of Conway, Nora Shepherd, Bertha Boreing, Saleanna Johnson, Deta Proctor, Fannie E. Riddle, Virgie V. Riddle, Jake Hackney, Rosco

Proctor, Frank Johnson, of Orlando; John Payne, Howard Payne, Bert Hardin, Bert Mullins, Reynolds Swinford, Clyd s Abney, Densie Hart, Angie Payne, Grace Anglin Jessie Chestine, Wyllie Hart, Relk Payne, of Disputanta, Robert Fish, Mitt Proctor, Sarah Hiatt, of Mt. Vernon, Celia McCracken, Virgie McCracken, of Climax, Curfew Hoyt, of Rockford.

Rockcastle should be very proud of these folks (and others) for it is on the young generation the progress of the future depends.

Each one of us is a leader, or will be along whatever line of work we may follow. Our leadership may be for the better or worse; depending mostly on our ideals and ambition. If we desire to be an efficient leader; then we must take the advantage of our Mt. Vernon and Brodhead High schools or go to Berea where we can get special training along what ever line our desired vocation may be.

## COVE

Marguerite the little daughter of Edd Owens has typhoid fever. — School began here Monday with Mr. Sam Chandler as teacher. — Mr. and Mrs. Jac Tretway and Mrs. Pal Moore of Terre Haute Ind. are visiting relatives here. — Miss Winnie Falin who has been attending the Eastern Kentucky State Normal returned home last week. — J. G. Riddle and sister Miss Minnie of East Bernstadt have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riddle here. — Little Miss Marguerite Falin of Louisville is with her Grand parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Falin. — Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bryant who has been living at Harlan town have moved back and have located at Brush Creek for awhile. — The meeting conducted at this place by Elder J. L. Davis closed Sunday night with six added to the Church. One by baptism and five by relation. Bro. Davis leaves here almost broke down, with his family for his home near Quail. He and W. H. Williams of Lena, Ind., will begin a protracted meeting at Providence church next Sunday.

## RESOLUTIONS.

Livingston Council No. 167. Junior Order United American Mechanics.

We pause in our daily battle of life, with its many trials, tribulations, joys and sorrows, to drop a tear for and pay our respects to our departed brother, James Henry Clark, who gently passed over to the other side on Thursday Evening June, the 22nd. 1916. He was 39 years old and had only been in our circle since March 18th. 1916. Therefore be it Resolved, that in his death the Council has lost a faithful, true and loyal brother, the community a kind neighbor, his companion a true faithful and loving husband, and his three children a loving, kind and Christian father.

Resolved, that we know none but those who have sat in the shadow of such a great bereavement can justly weigh such a sorrow as this; those who have stood by the side of loved ones, as hope after hope dropped away, as the pedals fall from a fading flower, know that such anguish cannot find solace in our tenderest words.

Resolved that we bow to the will of an unerring God, and since our brother cannot come back to us, we, through the merits of Christ, can go to him and clasp anew the hand of friendship and brotherly love in the celestial garden in the border land, where the flowers of love and friendship are ever abloom, bathed in eternal light, and nourished by the waters of life that flows from under the throne of God; be it further Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our deceased brother, a copy spread upon the records of our Council, and a copy be printed in the County paper, The Mount Vernon Signal.

July, 21st. 1916.  
Geo. W. Murphy.  
Lee Mullins.  
W. H. Ponder.  
Committee.

"Green Seal"  
Your House

Don't just "paint" your property—"Green Seal" it. Hanna's Green Seal Paint will give you the longest possible wear, and it will stick to your property through the coldest and wettest weather. It is a superior paint from any standpoint you look at it. It goes farther, lasts longer and looks better. Prove the quality of Hanna's Green Seal Paint for yourself.



Sold by

J. B. NOE, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

## Geo. S. Griffin &amp; Son

THE "QUALITY STORE"  
WHERE MONEY TALKS

## BOOSTING

And Pulling Together makes Our Town grow while the "Hand of quality" is always pointing to Big Values. Every time the second hand of the clock ticks off a minute something good goes over our counter. GOOD, yes, so good that it makes every customer a repeater. Make our Store a Schoolroom for studying Values and a place to get posted on good things.

We are wholesale and retail dealers in Flour, Meal, Meat, Shipstuffs, Hay, Corn, Straw, Fertilizer, American Wire Fence, Furniture, Stoves and Ranges, and all kinds of Farming Tools.

Our doors are open—come often—look around—but don't feel that you have to buy.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE.

GEO. S. GRIFFIN & SON  
Livingston KentuckyDRUGS  
PURE & FRESH

Your Prescriptions filled by an experienced man. We want your business

Don't forget to ask us about our

R.H. MILLER, Druggist  
Mt. Vernon, Ky.FARE \$3.00 DAILY BETWEEN  
CLEVELAND & BUFFALO

The Great Ship "SEANDREE"  
The largest and most costly steamer on any inland water of the world. Sleeping accommodations for 1000 passengers.  
"CITY OF ERIE" — 3 Magnificent Steamers — "CITY OF BUFFALO"  
CLEVELAND-Daily, May 1st to Nov. 15th-BUFFALO  
Leave Cleveland 8:00 A. M. Leave Buffalo 8:00 P. M.  
Arrive Buffalo 8:00 A. M. Arrive Cleveland 8:00 P. M.  
Connections at Buffalo for Niagara Falls and all Eastern and Canadian points. Railroad tickets reading between Cleveland and Buffalo are good for transportation on our steamers. Ask your ticket agent for tickets via C. & B. Line.  
Beautifully colored sectional puzzle chart, showing both exterior and interior of The Great Ship "SEANDREE" sent on receipt of five cents to cover postage and mailing. Also ask for our 24-page pictorial and descriptive booklet free.  
THE CLEVELAND & BUFFALO TRANSIT CO., Cleveland, Ohio

## THE STEPHENS-ASHURST BILL

To Protect the Public Against Dishonest Advertising  
and False Pretenses in Merchandising

What is the "Stephens-Ashurst" Bill? A bill introduced in Congress by Senator Henry F. Ashurst of Arizona, and by Representative Dan V. Stephens of Nebraska, providing a remedy for the unfair competition of great trading monopolies.

What is the character of this unfair competition? Chiefly in advertising at "cut prices" well-known goods as a means of inducing the public to buy unknown goods of doubtful quality.

What is the purpose of the cut-price concern? To use the reputation of a reliable article as a bait to catch the consumers, and deceive them into believing that all their goods offered for sale are sold at the same low rate of profit.

Are the expenses of the great trading monopolies less than those of the average retail merchant? No. Trade investigations agree that the cost of doing business by these big city concerns is approximately 30 per cent, while the cost of the average small merchant is 16 per cent.

How then can the predatory price cutters undersell the independent merchant? They can't; they only seem to. They sell things that people know at cost. On unfamiliar goods they overcharge. The consumer is deceived by the false representation that their mass of unknown goods is sold at the same price reduction offered on a few well-known articles.

What is the effect of this unfair advertising practice? It destroys the independent merchants of the towns and small cities, builds up great chain-store and mail-order systems, and compels the sale of inferior goods by all classes of dealers.

Is price cutting in the interest of the public? No. It means the destruction of the usual retail channels by which goods reach the consumers to their best advantage. It forces the sale of unknown articles, often of cheap and shoddy quality, instead of reliable goods which have their maker's reputation behind them. It promotes substitution.

What will be the result of the general extension of the practice throughout the country? The ruin of hundreds of thousands of independent merchants; the concentration of trade in vast monopolies located in a few great cities; and the ultimate injury of the consumers, by placing them at the mercy of monopolies which will then be able to extort such profits as they please for the sale of such goods as they choose to handle.

How will the bill aid in giving relief from cut-throat monopoly creating methods? By preventing the unfair and dishonest use of well-known goods as advertising bait, and guaranteeing a uniform price to all consumers.

Will the bill operate in any way to give trade-marked goods a monopoly? Not at all. The bill explicitly states that its provisions shall not apply to any article that is produced or controlled by a monopoly. If any manufacturer asked higher prices than his goods were worth, the public would refuse to buy, and new makers would quickly enter the field.

How can all who are interested in the prosperity and growth of our villages, towns and small cities aid in having the bill passed? By writing at once to the U. S. Senators from their State, and the Congressman from their District, urging them to support the Stephens-Ashurst Bill, and use their influence in its favor.

By preventing the unfair and dishonest use of well-known goods as advertising bait, and guaranteeing a uniform price to all consumers.

Not at all. The bill explicitly states that its provisions shall not apply to any article that is produced or controlled by a monopoly. If any manufacturer asked higher prices than his goods were worth, the public would refuse to buy, and new makers would quickly enter the field.

By writing at once to the U. S. Senators from their State, and the Congressman from their District, urging them to support the Stephens-Ashurst Bill, and use their influence in its favor.

WEAR  
FISH'S \$10.00 SPECIAL  
SUITS AND OVERCOATS AND YOU WILL WEAR THE  
BEST CLOTHES IN AMERICA AT THE PRICE.  
SEND US YOUR CHECK OR A MONEY ORDER AND WE WILL DELIVER BY PARCEL POST  
FISH & SON  
MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY



## MT. VERNON SIGNAL

FRIDAY, July 28, 1916

Published every Friday by  
EDGAR S. ALBRIGHT.

SUBSCRIPTION ONE YEAR \$1.00

Advertising rates made known on  
application

MEMBER OF  
KENTUCKY PRESS ASSOCIATION



### OUR BOONE WAY MAN In Winchester

By JAMES MARET.

Winchester has put one over on Lexington in securing the opening of the Democratic campaign in the early part of September when many thousands of untried will assemble in the Clark county capitol from all parts of the state. Not only will there be present speakers of nationwide reputation but it is expected that President Wilson will be on hand, stopping off on his return from Hodgenville where he goes to attend the dedication of the Lincoln Farm and to accept the same in behalf of the Government. Big preparations are already on foot for the entertainment of the expected thousands. Burgoo and Barbicue meats from many heads of fat cattle and sheep will be in evidence at the Clark county fair grounds where there is plenty of elbow room. It will prove one of the big days in the county's history.

The Mahan Grocery Company has purchased a lot in Winchester and will erect a \$20,000 brick structure for handling a wholesale business and distributing point for the various houses of the Jellico Grocery Company. Mr. A. B. Mahan, of Jellico will manage the business here.

L. & N. Engine No. 42 now pulling passenger trains between Maysville and Stanford, was used for hauling rails, ties and supplies for the extension of the railroad from Crab Orchard to Mt. Vernon and from Richmond Junction to Richmond in 1868, forty eight years ago. The writer, when a boy, had many rides on this old timer which, until last Friday, he had not seen for nearly half a century. In its early days this old locomotive sported many bright brass trimmings as was the custom in those days. It is said this is the first locomotive that entered Mt. Vernon.

About the first Kentucky good roads law was originated and passed by Col. G. G. Stuart, of this place, when he was a member of the Legislature, many years ago. It provides that where a neighborhood or section of a county furnish a certain portion of the expense for the construction of a turnpike, the county should pay the remainder. Thousands of miles were constructed in the state under this law. The Colonel was also the prime mover in putting the Kentucky central railroad over the route from Paris to Livingston instead of from Lexington, which city naturally thought the extension would be made from that point and sat still while Winchester got busy and landed the prize along with others making the city one of the state's railroad centers. Colonel Stuart is one of the best posted men in Kentucky history as well as its geography. He knows the county seat of every county, the names of all the principal streams and many of the smaller ones and the geological formations, the nature of the soils

of the various counties. He is taking much interest in the work of the State Tax Commission and has made many valuable suggestions to that body. A number of which, no doubt will be embodied in the Commission's report, which will be made to the next legislature when a revision of Kentucky's tax laws is expected to be made.

Clark county's experience in donations to railroads and other enterprises has been somewhat different to that of Green and some other Kentucky communities. Her contributions up to date have amounted to more than \$1,000,000 all of which has been more than repaid in enhanced land values, etc. It is said Clark's system of highways is as good or better than any other in the commonwealth, and from observation, the writer is led to believe the claim is justified. Winchester and Clark county has a goodly number of "live wires" working for advancement in all lines of endeavor. Its a great and good people we find here and there is no place, except good old Mt. Vernon, in which we would rather spend our remaining days.

The writer is engaged in road inspection work on the Winchester Paris pike, which is on one division of Boone Way, which will be routed on from Boonesboro to Chillicothe, Ohio, via Winchester, Paris, Carlisle and Maysville to the point on the Scioto, where Boone was twice taken a captive by the Indians.

It is probable that the Mahan Grocery Co. will make use of Scobee's big tobacco warehouse until the completion of their new building.

The Boosters' excursion into the mountains, the meeting of the Democratic Campaign opening promoters, the Clark county fair and other important events take place during the week. There's something doing all the time, including the pushing of good roads.

State Road Inspector, C. C. Crabb, of Eminence, who has been looking after Rockcastle roads, will be engaged for the next five weeks visiting various portions of the State in the interest of the meeting of the Southern Appalachian Good Roads Association, which takes place at Lexington, September 5th to 8th, which will be attended by large delegations from the seven states composing the organization. Representations from every important road association between Maine, California and Florida will be on hand. Every effort is being put forth, Lexingtonian's and all Kentucky highway boosters, including Commissioner of Public Roads, Rodman Wiley, to make this the largest and most successful, and far reaching in its influence, of any good roads meeting ever held within the borders of old Kentucky.

In the meeting at Bluefield, W. Va., last fall, Mr. C. C. Crabb, of Eminence, a born fighter for his state, landed, single-handed, the convention, for Lexington for 1916, when a number of other states were hotly contending for the coveted honor and privilege. Mr. Crabb has been and continues to be a big figure in the good roads movement.

En route here Sunday we met that reporter of the Signal at Livingston on the hustle as usual. He said he and the Brodhead man had buried the hatchet. Some one on the depot platform remarked that Will was paying frequent visits to the tomahawk's grave and was liable some dark night to dig up and resurrect that formidable Indian weapon. That live reporter is a scrapper from Scrap town on the head waters of Fighting Creek and it wont do to provoke him if one wishes to preserve a whole skin. We've been there. One experience showed us "where to get off at" and we gladly alighted, tho somewhat disfigured and out of the ring.

## BRODHEAD

Miss Clyde Watson leaves today for Cincinnati, where she will spend a few weeks taking a special course in Observation and other normal work. It is said that when a useful man is called from the stage of action that his place is soon filled by another and the world moves on just the same. Since our Livingston friend has shown his ability as a poet, the much lamented, James Whitcomb Riley, the great poet of America, will be missed only a short time and our friend will succeed him, and judging from the poetical display he made a few weeks ago, will surpass anything accomplished by the dead poet.

Mrs. A. B. Potorf is visiting in Winchester this week. The Executive Board of Rockcastle Association will meet with the Baptist church here Saturday afternoon, July 29th. A number of addresses will be made by Revs. Gooch, Jones, Thornton and others. Saturday evening 8 o'clock the Rev. E. B. Thornton will preach. All day Sunday will be given to Sunday School work. A number of talented speakers and enthusiastic workers will be present, and each school will have their choir with them which insures plenty of good singing. The public is invited to attend these meetings. In a dispute over the possession of a letter at the Gum Sulphur post office last Friday, between Emmett Taylor, a clerk in the post office, and Edd Pruitt, a patron of the office, Taylor received a dangerous cut across the throat, severing a small artery and requiring some half dozen stitches to close up the gash. He was attended by W. R. Carter, and is getting along nicely. Pruitt came to town as quickly as possible, and surrendered himself to Marshall Owens, who guarded him until Monday, when Judge G. M. Ballard came down and heard arguments for a bond by County Attorney E. R. Gentry and Judge L. W. Bethurum. Pruitt being released on a bond of \$250 for his appearance here August 4th, when his examining trial will take place.

Richard E. Albright went to Louisville, Saturday, and purchased a Ford touring car, returning that afternoon. Dick seems right at home in his car, and the boys say he has been hauling hay from his farm all this week, though we are not sure he uses his Ford for this purpose. Mrs. Robins, who underwent an operation at St. Joseph's Infirmary four weeks ago today, returned home Thursday night of last week, and is getting along nicely. Prof. Walter Evans, who taught in the Graded School here last term, was here over Sunday, leaving Monday for Washington, D. C., where he has a position as clerk in the Civil Service Department there. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tate, and daughter, Miss Miranda, motored to Lancaster, Sunday afternoon, and spent a few hours. Quite a number from here attended the Children's Day exercises at Ottawa, Sunday. The Rev. A. J. Pike held regular services at the Baptist church, Sunday morning and evening. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, of Crab Orchard, spent several days here this week, the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Owens. Frank Brooks was here from Crab Orchard during the week, looking after some privileges at the coming fair. J. L. Pilkenton was in Mt. Vernon, Monday, on business. Miss Judith McCall was here Saturday after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCall, at Moreburg. Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Chestnut, of Williamson, W. Va., were in the Hiatt section this week with his father and brother. Mr. Chestnut recently married a girl in Detroit, Mich., and stopped over here on their return trip.

Mr. Chestnut will get approximately \$100,000 from the Federal Government Good Roads Fund during the fiscal year ending July 1, 1917. Courier Journal. In the apportionment of the above amount among Kentucky counties it is expected that Rockcastle will come in for \$10,000 a year for next five years. It will be remembered that in January, 1913, when the project of Boone Way was organized by the Commercial Club of the little old town of Mt. Vernon, Ky., and put in a plea to congress for aid in the movement. Our good old friends the Courier Journal, The Times and Post sent up a howl bordering on frenzy, condemning the meanness of the mountaineers for even broaching such a proposition, saying they were against it "on principle." The mountaineers believed they were right and that "truth is mighty and (justice) will prevail." Mt. Vernon has been justified in her belief and work, and has long since forgiven these excellent journals on account of valiant service since rendered in our great cause of good roads. Three cheers for Mt. Vernon's Commercial Club, some more for the newspapers who aided in the work and everyone who boosted, and some few for our own Boone Way Maret, who never surrendered in the fight for the great highway.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**  
By virtue of execution No. 516 directed to me, which issued from the Clerk's office of the Rockcastle Circuit Court, in favor of Bank of Mt. Vernon, against Albert Allen, I, or one of my deputies, will on the 4th day of August 1916, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 2 o'clock p.m. at or near the residence of Albert Allen in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, expose at public sale to the highest bidder, the following piece of property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of Plaintiff's debt, interest and cost, to wit:  
One saw mill, consisting of Engine, Boiler, Saw Rig, Carriage, Saws, Belts and all the appurtenances thereto belonging; and one planing mill, consisting of edger, rollers, and all the appurtenances to the same belonging; and one Grist mill, consisting of French burrs, and all the appurtenances to the same belonging. Amount of money to be made, \$972 17, with 6 per cent interest from the 26th day of Jan. 1915, and cost. Levied upon as the property of Albert Allen.  
TERMS: Sale will be made on a credit of six months; bond with approved security required bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from day of sale, and having the force and effect of a judgment.  
This 21st day of July, 1916.  
Cam Mullins, Sheriff R. C.

**SHOULD SLOAN'S LINIMENT GO ALONG?**  
Of course it should! For after a strenuous day when your muscles have been exercised to the limit an application of Sloan's Liniment will take the soreness and stiffness away and get you in fine condition for the morrow. You should also use it for a sudden attack of toothache. Stiff neck, backache, stings, bites and the many accidents that are incidental to a vacation. "We would as soon leave our baggage as go on a vacation or camp out without Sloan's Liniment." Writes one vacationist: "We use it for everything from cramps to toothache." Put a bottle in your bag, be prepared and have no regrets.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**



**Poultry Poultry**  
Ship us your Poultry and receive highest price and prompt returns  
**Houchens Bros.**  
WHOLESALE  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
44 Walnut St., Cincinnati, O.  
6-16-13t

**CONSTIPATION AND INDIGESTION.**  
"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets and must say they are the best I have ever used for constipation and indigestion. My wife also used them for indigestion and they did her good," writes Eugene S. Knight, Wilmington N. C. Chamberlain's Tablets are mild and gentle in their action. Give them a trial. You are certain to be pleased with the agreeable laxative effect which they produce. Obtainable everywhere.

**TO THE PUBLIC.**  
"I have been using Chamberlain's for indigestion for the past six months, and it affords me pleasure to say I have never used remedy that did me so much good."—Mrs. C. E. Riley, Illio, N. Y. Chamberlain's Tablets are obtainable everywhere.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

### Children Cry for Fletcher's

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

### What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

### GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

### In Use For Over 30 Years

The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

### Clean, Strong and Safe

The standing of a Bank is determined by the law under which it operates, and by the ability and character of its management.

The conservative methods of this Bank, its record of 15 years of successful banking, and the courteous treatment extended to all, are its best recommendations.

YOUR BUSINESS SOLICITED,

### The Bank of Mt. Vernon

MT. VERNON, KY.

### A COMPLETE LINE OF School Books & SCHOOL SUPPLIES

We Give Booster Tickets

OUR STOCK is more complete than ever. Our business has doubled in volume in the past six months. Our Goods and Prices please others and will please you.

### Pioneer Drug Store

CHAS. L. DAVIS, Proprietor Phone 87

### P. H. Conover Dentist

MT. VERNON, KY.  
From Rooms over Baker's Store Phone 49-S.

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

COME AND BRING THE CHILDREN TO

# THE BIG MT. VERNON FAIR, AUGUST 9-10-11, 1916

Big Line of Attractions for Everyone. 3 Big Days and 6 Big Nights

Ladies Admitted Free First Day

## Remember THAT FORD and Come Every Day

The Biggest Fair in Years



# MT. VERNON SIGNAL

MT. VERNON KY July 28, 1916

79 up "No. 79" when was to Communi- 79  
date with SIGNAL



## T ME TABLE.

22 North	5.10 p m
21 North	3.56 a m
23 South	11.44 a m
21 South	12.13 a m

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.  
Phone No. 8.

Entered at the Mt. Vernon, Ky. Postoffice as second-class mail matter.

## PERSONAL

Ralph Griffin is visiting in the Wildie section this week.

Herbert Cox is taking in the Winchester Fair this week.

George Barron and family were here this week from Harlan County.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hamlin of Jackson Co. are here with their parents.

Charley Daily is reported better but very weak and still a very sick man.

Mrs. E. S. Albright and children spent Monday and Tuesday in Louisville.

Master Jack Crawford is spending the week with his cousin Henry Crawford near Brodhead.

Mrs. O. D. Brock and little daughter Virginia, have been with relatives here for the past week.

Jamie Thompson has gone to New York City where he has a position with an automobile company.

Miss Blanche Crawford has returned home from a most enjoyable visit with Mrs. C. H. Huffman of Paris.

Mrs. J. W. Parks of Harrisonville Missouri and Mrs. W. W. Bush of Berea are visiting their sister Mrs. W. T. Crawford.

R. G. Wilmott writes for the Signal to be changed to Indianapolis, care of the Altemburg Hotel, where he will be located for a while.

Last Sunday was Mt. Vernon day at High Bridge. A party of about twenty five motored there returning by the way of Lexington that night.

Mrs. C. C. Williams and daughter Mrs. West, were in Louisville shopping Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. West went to Somerset for a month's visit.

Mrs. Thos. Coulton of New York City and Mrs. J. T. Johnson of Pittsburg, Pa. are visiting their sister, Mrs. Anne Miller and nephew Walter H. Miller.

Miss Amy Proctor who has so faithfully and efficiently served as assistant postmaster for the last year, resigned yesterday on account of her health. Richard Cox will take her place. He went to work yesterday morning and in him the patrons of the Mt. Vernon office may expect to find a courteous and obliging servant.

## LOCAL

The big sale continues at Sutton & McBee.

All kinds of low cut shoes at low cut prices.

SUTTON & MCBEE.

Lots of Palm Beach Suits for men and women, at low prices, SUTTON & MCBEE.

Somebody gets \$10.00 for the biggest wagon load of people brought to the Mt. Vernon Fair, Thursday, August 10th.

WANTED AT ONCE:—Five hundred customers, a bargain for everyone. T. J. Pennington, Griffin Building, West Main.

Hon. Nat Sewell, State Inspector, and his assistant, Mr. Nat Elliott, are here today inspecting the books of the county officials.

FOR SALE:—House and lot on Main street in Mt. Vernon. Call or address S. H. Martin, Mt. Vernon, or Mrs. Harry Jones, London Ky.

The regular local leaving Livingston about 5.45 A. M. and will carry passengers to the Mt. Vernon Fair returning about 4 P. M. every day of the Fair Aug. 9-10 & 11.

We guarantee our goods and prices to be right. T. J. Pennington, West Main Street Merchant.

You can buy a Ladies Hat at any price at,

SUTTON & MCBEE.

We would be glad to have you call and see us; our prices are free. T. J. Pennington, West Main Street.

Big stock of clothing at low prices to select from. Come and let us show you, SUTTON & MCBEE.

WANTED:—A boy or young lady to learn the printing trade, a good place for any one who wants to learn the business; is not afraid of work and has the sticking qualities. Apply at this office.

The new platform at depot will soon be finished. Now, if visitors and others who go to station "to let trains by," will just stand on back portion of platform or back against depot out of way of passenger getting on and off trains it will greatly facilitate matters.

It has been suggested that the name of Richmond Street be changed to "Boone Avenue." This is the appropriate thing to do and it is believed the Town Board will be asked to take the matter up and pass an ordinance to that effect at its next meeting.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Sarah M. Keller, to please file same at my office at the address given below, and all persons indebted to the estate of the above named decedent will please call and settle said debts. H. J. McCURE, Administrator, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

An article by Prof. Pilkenton entitled, "Educational Campaign" should have appeared in this issue but by reason of a mishap in the office, it was impossible to get the article in this issue. It will appear next week and we ask our readers to keep a lookout, and especially the teachers of the county and those who have volunteered for the Moonlight School Campaign which starts in September.

The Clean Up at the Mt. Vernon Fair Grounds yesterday was not as largely attended as should have been however the few faithful ones who did show up cleaned up quite a bit. Now in order to give those stockholders who were too busy or feared the hot sun a chance to help some, so next Wednesday has been set aside as Final Clean up day. If you were not there yesterday come next Wednesday and help put things in order for the biggest Fair Mt. Vernon has ever had.

Our present town board of trustees is beyond any question one of the best, if not the best board the town has ever had. The business-like way in which they have and are now handling the affairs of the town, should be very gratifying to the taxpayers. The present board has done more work on the streets, paved more on the indebtedness of the town and have more funds for improvements than ever before. We certainly have every reason to be satisfied with our present bunch of city dads.

DAVIS THOMPSON:—Mr. Clay Thompson, son of Mr. J. L. Thompson, of the West side, and Miss Emma Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis, were married yesterday at the residence of Rev. H. T. Young, the officiating clergyman. Only a few close friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony. Immediately after the ceremony, the happy couple, accompanied by Miss Ethel Davis and Chas. L. Davis, sister and brother of the bride, left for Crab Orchard Springs, where they will spend a few days. The Signal joins their many friends in hearty congratulations.

Our Boone Way man is in receipt of a splendid photograph, from his friend, Charles T. Higgins, one of Richmond's live wires, of the monument and statue of Capt. James Estell, the pioneer and Indian fighter. The memorial was erected near 50 years ago by the descendants of the hero. The memorial is located toward the south eastern portion of the cemetery. Prominently across the face of the monument appears this inscription, "Honor the Brave." Captain Estell was slain in battle with Wyandotte Indians on the site now occupied by the city of Mt. Sterling, in March, 1780.

## LOOK GOOD—FEEL GOOD

No one can either feel good or look good while suffering from constipation. Get rid of that tired lifeless feeling by a treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Buy a box to-day, take one or two pills to-night. In the morning that stuffed, dull feeling is gone and you feel better at once. 25c. at your druggist.

## ARE YOU A BOOSTER?

If one of your citizens is starting a new enterprise you are going to give him all the encouragement you can, for you know what such encouragement, or lack of it, meant to you when you were getting your own start.

If your town and county officials are good men and doing the square thing you are going to stand by them and help keep them in office. If they are not the right sort, you are going to get them out and see to it they are kept out. If you are a young man you are going to start a savings account in your local bank, because you will realize that in the business world thrift lies at the very foundation of a successful business career, and no one on earth can help you so much as your local banker if he has confidence in your ability and with in your honesty.

If you are in business you will deposit your money in your town bank rather than in a distant city bank, because then it will be used in financing and upbuilding local enterprises that will be right under your eye, and you will want to boost your local banks, because you know the best thermometer of a community's commercial prosperity is shown in the monthly bank statements.

If the head of your public school is conscientiously endeavoring to mould the character as well as train the mind of the boys and girls of your town, you are going to let him know you are his friend; will see to it that his compensation is sufficient to enable him to live decently, and that he gets it when due.

You are going to inspect the school house occasionally, even though you are not on the school board, and if you find it unsanitary you are going "to make howl" because the health of your children and of every other parent's children is being jeopardized. If the accommodations are not amply sufficient, some children are being prevented from getting an education, and you are going to be their champion and fight for the needed improvements, even although you know it will take an extra dollar or two out of your pocket for taxes.

You are going to see to it that every boy in your town, rich or poor, is given a fair, square chance to become a decent man and a useful citizen. Eighty-five per cent of the prisoners in your county jail are illiterate. It is cheaper to give a boy a good education and start him on the road to decency and success than to allow him to remain an illiterate, become a criminal and execute him for his crime.

WANTED:—If you have any Indian relics such as stone pipes, large flint spears, grooved axes, pots and bowls, shell beads, etc., found in caves, graves and old fields. Write to W. L. Griffin, Somerset, Ky., and get his prices on them.

FOR SALE:—Two nice bird pups. 6 months old, good stock. J. H. Livingston, Stanford Ky.

REWARD. Rockcastle County will pay \$100. reward for the arrest and conviction of John Martin who murdered Parker Browning. The Governor has been asked to double this amount. G. M. Ballard, J. R. C. C. Aug 20-1916.

BILLIOUSNESS AND STOMACH TROUBLE "Two years ago I suffered from frequent attacks of stomach trouble and biliousness," writes Miss Emma Verbruyke, Lima Ohio. "I could eat very little food that agreed with me and I became so dizzy and sick at my stomach at times that I had to take hold of something to keep from falling. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets advertised I decided to try them. I improved rapidly." Obtainable everywhere.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## Whole outlook determined by health state

Half Sick Persons See Life From Viewpoint of Pessimist.

The condition of a man's health always effects to a marked extent his mental attitude toward life in general.

This fact is so universally admitted that columns in the newspapers are devoted to "Dyspepsia Philosophy," and of all ailments it is safe to assert that stomach diseases work more havoc with human machinery than all other disorders combined.

Of all the ills, chronic dyspepsia is probably the most common. Its causes, characterization, and results are many. Skilled specialists have been unable to code with this almost universal malady. However, old Mother Nature, who, after all, is the ideal physician, in combination with skill in chemistry, has compounded in her inexhaustible laboratory a marvelous remedy for this trouble.

It would be almost impossible to describe the sufferings that this dread disease has brought to mankind. The most common symptoms are pains in the stomach a dull, heavy, bloated feeling, loss of appetite, headaches, nausea, dizziness, coated tongue, fitful sleep, loss of energy, nervousness and melancholia.

Tanlac, the great reconstructive tonic, appetizer and builder out worn-out tissues, compounded after years of study, was designed to check this distressing condition. Its purposes are to restore a healthy, normal appetite, good, sound restful sleep, end nervousness, revive lost energy—in short, to restore the stomach to the habit of doing a full day's work and doing it efficiently.

This Master Medicine is composed entirely of roots, herbs, flowers and barks gathered from the remote corners of the earth and is compounded today under the personal direction of Joseph Von Trimback, the chemist who created the Tanlac formula.

Thousands of men and women who have found relief from their sufferings through the Tanlac treatment are daily acknowledging their gratitude for this wonderful reconstructive tonic.

Tanlac is being specially introduced in Mt. Vernon at R. H. Miller, also at Central Drug Co., Livingston, and John Robins' Drug Store, Brodhead W. M. Owens' store, Burr, Line Bros., Crab Orchard, S. E. Welch Berea; J. Reynolds and Son, Bee Lick.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA J. C. McCLARY



UNDERTAKER and EMBALMER STANFORD, KY.

LUMBER BUILDING MATERIAL MILL WORK Get Our Prices and We Will Get Your Trade

Proctor & McKenzie Phone 52 MT. VERNON, KY.

BRODHEAD FAIR, AUG. 16-17-18

Look for our Ad. next week Call or write for Catalog



## Wool-Wool-All Wool

Every inch of cloth used by the well known gentleman's tailors, J. L. Taylor & Co. of New York and Chicago is guaranteed to be absolutely pure wool only.

Not one inch of cotton will you find in their new ALL WOOL BOOK of Style and Fabric.

And this season the prices are as low as ever. If you want real serviceable high quality Clothes at a very moderate price, you can't do better than pin your faith to the old reliable.

TAYLOR, THE TAILOR

LET US MEASURE YOU TODAY



THE HOME OF GOOD CLOTHES

## The Test of Time Has Given Her Approval

TO begin with the FORD Car was made right and sold right, the genius of Henry Ford did it. His vision was into the future, not the present.

While other manufacturers are discarding the models they declared perfect one year for a car of even more boasted merits the next, the Ford Company continues to make the "Model T." For seven years they have made but one car, made it to such a degree of perfection that changes have not been necessary.

Over one half of the automobiles are Fords and all Ford Chassis are exactly alike. The other half are made by by some 180 different companies, each company making two or three different models and changing these each year. This being the case it will readily be seen why Ford repairs can be so easily and readily obtained.

There are no obsolete Ford Models, you don't have to send to the Factory to have a repair part made, for you can get it immediately; right here in your own town they are carried in stock.

Runabout \$390 Touring Car \$440 F. O. B. Detroit

BRYANT BROS., Agents

## It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Cardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Cardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Cardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill."

I wish every suffering woman would give

CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

a trial. I still use Cardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good." Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Cardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

Get a Bottle Today!

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA



## The Man With A Million

Needs a clean bank, a strong bank, a progressive bank—the man with a hundred cannot afford to do business with any other kind. The Peoples is seeking your business and is prepared to care for it.

INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS

Peoples Bank

## UNDERTAKER



Our line of Couch Caskets is unequalled. Hand-made Coffins furnished. Hearse sent to all parts of the County.

All orders by Wire Promptly Filled

W. A. COX,

Phone 94-S

Mt. Vernon, Ky.

## GRANVILLE OWENS

UNDERTAKER

Brodhead Ky

— COMPLETE LINE —  
Coffins, Caskets and Robes  
Mail, Telegraph or Telephone orders Promptly Filled



## JONAS McKENZIE

THE OLD RELIABLE

A good line of  
General  
Merchandise

Farm Implements

## Kentucky Fair Dates For 1916.

Columbia Fair Ass'n., Columbia, Aug. 22-25.  
Lawrenceburg Fair Ass'n., Lawrenceburg, Aug. 15-18.  
New Perryville Fair, Perryville, Aug. 9-11.  
Danville Co. Fair, Danville, Aug. 2-4.  
Bullit Co. Fair, Shepherdsville, Aug. 15-18.  
K. of P. Fair, Nicholasville, Aug. 29-31.  
Knox Co. Fair, Barbourville, Aug. 30-Sept. 1.  
Laurel Co. Fair, London, Aug. 22-25.  
K. of P. Fair, Stanford, Aug. 23-25.  
Berea Fair, Berea, Aug. 2-4.  
MT. VERNON FAIR ASS'N., Mt. Vernon, Aug. 9-11.  
Brodhead Fair Ass'n., Brodhead, Aug. 16-18.  
Wayne Co. Fair, Monticello, Sept. 5-8.  
Kentucky State Fair, Louisville, Sept. 11-16.

### TAKING BIG CHANCES

It is a great risk to travel without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, as this preparation cannot be obtained on trains or steamships. Attacks of bowel complaints are often sudden and very severe, and everyone should go prepared for them. Obtainable everywhere.

## NOTICE!

Having decided to go west, will offer for sale, privately all of my property, both personal and real, as follows, until August 15th, and on that day I will close all that remains unsold at public auction at my home, Hansford, Ky.:  
Real estate for sale on easy terms: Farm or tract No. 1 of 130 acres, 4 miles south of Mt. Vernon, with 1 storehouse, dwelling house and barn, and three tenant houses, several good coal mines from which Mt. Vernon and surrounding country get the greater part of its coal supply.  
Farm No. 2 of 156 acres, 4 miles south of Mt. Vernon, 2 houses, 1 barn, about 35 acres in growing crop, 60 acres in grass and balance in woodland; adjoining farm No. 1, so as to make one well located farm if purchaser should desire both tracts. Farm No. 1 lies on east side of creek and mostly underlaid with coal.  
Farm No. 2 on west side of creek, rather a valley farm, with some coal in the hill.  
Farm No. 3 of 190 acres, one half mile west of farm, No. 2; a good strong valley farm in good state of cultivation and not very much improved. About 100 acres cleared, balance in woodland south of Mt. Vernon, in good state of cultivation, well improved; 1 good dwelling house, barn and storehouse and all other necessary outbuildings; 6 tenant

houses. This farm is a creek farm, running to the hilltops, with some workable coal in the hill. Also has a 10 acre orchard set out this spring, consisting of about 500 Stayman Winesap apples and 500 Elberta peaches, if all are true to name, with a guarantee from the company to prune and spray for 3 years. Holes were dynamited for trees and great care taken in setting the orchard. Also about 6 acres of other orchard on this farm. This is the farm for the stockman; a good farm and well watered and only a few years to wait for a young fortune from growing fruit.  
Farm No. 5 of 258 acres adjoining farm No. 4, with one good dwelling house, barn and storehouse; 4 tenant houses and barns, good orchard; known to be as good if not the best stand for merchandise in the county. Also has a good coal mine.

Farm No. 6 of 250 acres, 2 miles west of farm No. 5; good valley farm, in good state of cultivation; good house and barn; good orchard; 1 tenant house; about 120 acres cleared and the balance in woodland.

3 town lots in Belthum & Lewis Addition to Mt. Vernon, Ky. and 1 lot in Jersey City, N. J. Also have a few hundred acres of desirable mineral rights to sell.

It is not worth while to speak of the water on these farms, as it is well known that Rockcastle is one of the best watered counties in this state or any other state. All of these farms are handy to churches and schools and the county has under consideration, 4 turnpikes out of the town of Mt. Vernon, north and south, east and west. Several miles have been let and work already begun. Those farms are on the pike road leading south from Mt. Vernon, on the waters of Dry Fork and Skeggs Creek and most of this land is limestone land and fine producing and grass land. Will sell on easy terms any part of this land or all as a whole. Anyone wishing to buy land, either for investment or home, will do well to call and go over the land, and get my price and terms. For the benefit of those who might know these farms and locate them better by name, I will name them by their former owners: Tract No. 1 known as the Sand Spring coal fields; Tract No. 2 known as the Will Price farm at Sand Spring; Tract No. 3 known as the old Tommy Graves valley farm; Tract No. 4 known as the K. J. McKinney farm; Tract No. 5 known as the W. G. Nicely farm at Hansford; Tract No. 6 known as the Mat Deboard and later the Albert Hamlin farm near Level Green.

PERSONAL PROPERTY for sale on easy terms:  
8 work mules; 4 wagons; 1 hack bed; 1 new surrey; 1 rubber tire buggy; 1 set of buggy harness; 4 turning plows; 3 section harrows; 2 disc harrows; 3 walking cultivators; 4 double shovel plows; 4 bull tongue plows; 1 mowing machine; 2 rakes; one-half interest in 1 binder; about 2500 ft. of 1 1/2 inch iron pipe in care of Mt. Vernon Fair Association; 1, 12 horse power boiler and engine; all of my interest in about 200 acres of growing crops, to be sold as it stands or so much per bushel as gathering time, 2 stores and fixtures, one store at Hansford and one at Sand Springs, 5 show cases; 2 desks; 1 typewriter; 1 iron safe; 1 share in Peoples Bank; 1 share in Mt. Vernon Fair Association; 25 shares in Central Life Insurance Co.; 2 shares in Don Overland Shoe Co. of Indianapolis, Ind.; 3 shares in Kentucky Rural Credit Association.

W. M. Bullock.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

A HACKING COUGH WEAKENS THE SYSTEM. Don't suffer with a hacking cough that has weakened your system—get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, in use over forty years, and benefiting all who use it, the soothing pine balsam with tar heal the irritated air passages—soothes the raw spots, loosens the mucous and prevents racking the body with coughing. Dr. King's New Discovery induces natural sleep and aids nature to cure you.

## OPEN LETTER

Washington, D. C.,  
June 30, 1916.

Hon. J. B. McKeenan,  
Williamsburg, Ky.

My Dear Sir:  
It was with a feeling of great pleasure to see the announcement of your candidacy in the papers this week.

First permit me to congratulate you for your willingness to sacrifice your personal ambitions and devote your whole time and labor in the interests of our grand old party. The Republican party, too, is to be congratulated in having in its rank such sterling material that has always been the back-bone and life of the organization.

Throughout the length and breadth of our great, grand country such men as you have been the party's mainstay and helped to achieve victory. Ah! the man knows not what defeat is. The man who knows no fear fears no odds, toils, sacrifices for his party and his fellow-men, is ever ready to save his country, and put all else aside, and answer "here" when the roll is called.

The man who is willing to do or die, who fights to the last ditch for a principle or friend, who goes down to defeat with faith in his heart and who never surrenders, that is the man whose name is "Legion" and who is known as a "thorough republican" in all that the phrase implies.

I would have been very glad to have met you while in Chicago, but my time was taken up very much conferring with the leaders and "putting the house in order". You must admit it was no child's play. While others were having a good time, I had to keep burning my midnight oil, and I am glad for one it is all over. No doubt you were very busy yourself, for one who takes himself so seriously, a national convention is no child's playground.

What did you think of Harding's speech? Old uncle Joe is still a young man, and my old friend Col. Depue still has a few of his famous old jokes on tap.

Did you meet him? He sure is a chap. Uncle Joe told me that we'll round up the greatest majority for the Justice that ever was polled. These are his words: Billy, my boy, you're an old campaigner for a young fellow like you, but it beats me how you prophesied Hughes nomination, so, as you say, we've simply got to elect him.  
"So I says, Uncle the drinks are on you." All "right" he said "what are you going to have."  
"A little Wilson, that's all," I said. We've had enough of Wilson," says he lets try a Hugs. Fairbanks, with a Teddy for a chaser. Oh! hell here's luck." You know Uncle Joe will have his little joke.

Well, you are a man who is broad minded, has traveled a great deal and practically are a man of the world.

You will have a foeman worthy of your steel, and should you go down to defeat in the race for the nomination, I know and am sure you will go out into the highways and by ways and work for the ticket as though you were at the head of it.

Men who were born in log cabins have often proven themselves too great for petty bickerings and jealousies. Our party's history is rich in men who first saw the light of day in humble log cabins. Lincoln, Grant, Johnson, and many others have risen from obscurity and darkness to fame and honor and glory.

I quote you a little poem by Henry Van Dyke:

### LIE'S COMPASS

"Four things a man must learn to do,

If he would make his record true: To think without confusion clearly To love his fellow men sincerely; To act from honest motives purely; To trust in God and Heaven securely."

Well, I met a few of the leaders at a conference in New York City Tuesday last and your name happened to be mentioned in the course of things.

Undoubtedly you will hear from the Campaign Committee in a short while, and perhaps you will have an opportunity to speak in some of the big cities later on. Being a man of education and travel you ought to be well qualified for such a tour.

I shall take a short rest of a week or two, and then get into and back to work and travel. So

if you don't hear from me again, you will know that I am "some where in God's country, preaching and practicing for the cause. I violate no secret when I say your efforts at Chicago were not only commendable to those who were there for reunion of the factions, and your self effacement will never be forgotten.

It is not only puzzling, but mystifying to those who were there for reunion of the factions and your self effacement will never be forgotten.

It is not only puzzling but mystifying to those who were on the "inside" and who thought they were entitled to a little credit for bringing orders out of chaos, to learn that you were the man of the hour, and through whose able efforts and giant intellect the United Republican Party is now a fact.

The nation and the people owe you a debt of gratitude that shall never be forgotten, and the day may not be far distant when the nation will again have at its head, another of those great men, whose star first shone on a lonely little log cabin at the head of Meadow Creek.

With all good wishes for the party's success in which I know you join me, I remain,  
Sincerely and cordially,

Wm F. MORIAN.

## CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY.

Every family without exception should keep this preparation at hand during the hot weather of the summer months. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is used many times its cost when needed and is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. It has no superior for the purposes for which it is intended. Buy it now. Obtainable everywhere.

### SALE FOR TAXES.

I, or one of my deputies, will on Monday Aug. 28th 1916, at being regular county court day, offer for sale at the front door of the court house in Mt. Vernon Ky for the purpose of satisfying taxes due on the Livingston Graded School, one house and lot in Livingston, Ky. now occupied by J. F. Jones, taxes of R. M. K. Flour Co. Amount \$25.00  
Cam Mullins, S. R. C.

## KENTUCKY'S AGRICULTURE RICHES.

Producing annually between 30 and 35 per cent. of the total tobacco crop of the United States and more than 10 per cent. of the world, Kentucky is known far and wide as the leading tobacco-producing State. Many people not only in other States, but right here at home are under the impression that tobacco is "King" in the agriculture output of the state. But such is not the case. This place is held by corn, the holder of the title in the agricultural realm of the nation.

In 1915 the corn crop of Kentucky amounted to 115,000,000 bushels and was estimated to have a farm value on Dec. 1, 1915, of \$68,844,000, or 56 cents a bushel. In its reports for July 1 this year the U. S. Department of Agriculture estimated that the farm value of corn on July 1 was 84 cents a bushel, which would give the crop of last year a total value of \$95,670,000. Most of this crop has been fed to livestock, particularly hogs, and as hogs have been selling at between \$9 and \$10 a hundredweight for the past several months, farmers have come pretty close to realizing 84 cents a bushel for their corn, for the relative values of corn and hogs are 80 cents for corn and \$8 for hogs, 90 cents for corn and \$9 for hogs and so on. If hogs are selling at \$9 and corn is selling below 90 cents then it is regarded as more profitable to feed it to hogs than to sell it. Splendid prices also have prevailed for cattle sheep and lambs.

The tobacco crop of 1915 amounted to 356,400,000 pounds. The estimated value of this crop on Dec. 1, 1915, was \$27,799,000 or 7.8 cents a pound. Since prices underwent a steady advance during the early months of the year, the average price realized by the growers was well above the Dec 1 figure. Here it may be seen that the corn crop of the State possessed a value three times that of the tobacco crop.

Based on the acreage and condition on July 1 this year, the forecast is for a corn crop of 108,000,000 bushels. With favorable conditions the remainder of this season this final output may be but little behind that of last year. The forecast is for a tobacco crop of

440,000,000 pounds, which if realized will be the largest in the State for many years. But in any event the value of the corn crop will be at least double that of tobacco.

Kentucky last year harvested a hay crop of 1,225,000 tons, with an estimate farm value on Dec. 1 last year of \$15,312,000. This was the largest crop in several years. The forecast as of July 1 last is for an even larger crop this year. The condition of pastures is 96 per cent., or practically perfect, where as the conditions a year ago was only 84 per cent.

It may be added that agricultural conditions of the State are better than for several years, due to the good crops of last year and the good prices obtained. Farmers have been restocked with cattle, hogs and sheep. As far back as Jan. 1 this year there were 1,709,000 head of hogs in Kentucky, as compared with 1,582,000 on Jan. 1, 1915, and 1,507,000 on Jan. 1, 1914 while the number of cattle on Jan. 1 this year was 570,000, as compared with 543,000 on Jan. 1, 1915 and 527,000 on Jan. 1, 1914.

## CATARH CANNOT BE CURED

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hal's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hal's Catarrh was prescribed by one of the best physicians in the country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hal's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists 75c. Hal's Family Pills or constipation.

## To the Voters Eleventh District

MY DEAR SIR and FELLOW CITIZEN:—

I take this method of saying that I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for congress from this District before the primary August fifth next.

I was born and reared in Whitley county where I now reside. I have never held public office, but I have given some twenty years of my life to educating and uplifting the young people of my county and trying to elevate everyone through teaching in public and private schools and preaching the Gospel as a pastor and as an evangelist. I have preached as State Evangelist under the appointment of three different state convention boards of the Baptist Church. In spite of the fact that I am a Baptist, I have been cordial and kind to all Christian people and have tried to recognize their right to their opinion on points where churches differ. In my meetings while I am a Baptist, I have always invited other churches to participate. The Republican party in the nation in encouraging strong School men and ministers, to ask for nomination for Congress is only keeping abreast with the democratic party.

Some four years ago when my family had grown to be so large, both from the standpoint of no. and also from the standpoint of age that it was impossible for me to give them the proper education and remain on the mission field, I gave up my work as a minister and moved to Williamsburg that I might be able to educate my children, six of them being practically grown, having two other small children.

Since this time I have held a very responsible position with the life insurance company with which I am now connected. I am now manager of a branch office of the Inter Southern Life Insurance Company for southeastern Kentucky and a part of Tennessee.

As to my business standing, I do not feel that any one can question that because I have fully demonstrated my ability as a business man, not only by making my own living, supporting a large family and educating myself, having taken a four years course in Williamsburg Institute and while doing so made a living both for myself and family. When I graduate from the Southern Baptist

Theological Seminary in 1905, I had six children in school in Louisville.

I am asking you for your vote for this important office. I am mindful of the importance and the dignity belonging thereto, and if elected, as I will be, I promise to measure up to the high standard that should be set for this office. I know nothing but hard work. I come from one of the largest families in the Eleventh District, all of whom are strong Republicans, having stood by the old party since the days of Abraham Lincoln.

My opponent, Mr. Caleb Powers, has been in office since a boy, having been elected for eight years Superintendent of Public Schools of Knox County and elected Secretary of State, and having now been in Congress three different terms. I want to say that if we are to set this precedent before the rising young men of the Eleventh District to keep one man in office all his life, it certainly is not an incentive to set this precedent before the rising young men of the Eleventh District who are well qualified to press on to higher things. Neither is it encouraging for our young men to educate themselves to occupy the responsible offices in the country if we are to keep one man in office all his life. It is certainly not an incentive to set this precedent before the rising young men of the Eleventh District who are well qualified to press on to higher things. Neither is it encouraging for our young men to educate themselves to occupy the responsible offices in the country if we are to keep one man in office all his life.

I would like to ask you to consider this carefully and place your own or yourself in my place. I have been asked by the men that have the Republican cause at heart, both in the Eleventh District and in the State of Kentucky as well as in the Nation, to run this race. I did not want to run this race, but was drafted by the men who have the party at heart in order that we might have a representative in Congress who could do something for the people in the Eleventh District. It is a known fact that Mr. Powers has never been able to do anything for the people he represents, and will never become, he has no standing in Washington with either Republicans or Democrats.

I beg of you to cast your vote for me and ask your friends to do so, and I shall certainly represent you and will promise that unless I can do more for the constituency in two years than Mr. Powers has in six I will never ask you to vote for me again.

Now in order to rid the Republican ticket of this weight which has been around the neck of the party for the last six years in the State of Kentucky, come out and vote for a man against whom no man in the Eleventh District can truthfully say one thing.

I would like to see every voter personally many of whom I will be unable to see, but I will promise you that during my term of office I will visit every neighborhood and spend my vacations at home in the Eleventh District and not up North living a high life, as my opponent has done for the past several years. I am,

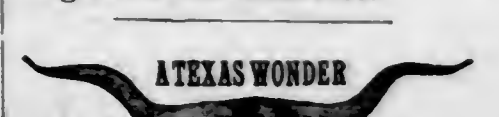
Sincerely Yours,

J. B. McKeenan

## Children C FOR FLETCHER CASTO

WHY MENDURE SUMER COLDS?

It isn't necessary to have a stuffed head, running nose. To cough your head off as it were. All you need do is to use Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. The soothing and healing balsams open the clogged air passages and in a short time you get relief and start on the road to recovery. Your nose stops running, you cough less and you know you are getting better. Get a bottle, use as directed. Keep what is left as a cough and cold insurance.



THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. It is sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 210 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.